THE TIMES.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 20, 1907.

FARMVILLE.

No more daily preaching but let us hope that there is daily practicing of the truths preached, also that we should become so immersed in things temporal as to ignore things eternal, and yet the people of Farmville are as spiritually minded as those of other places.

Dr. Jones, of the Normal faculty is in constant demand as speaker on occasions devoted to the betterment of the school system of the State and wherever he goes the people hear him gladly. He is one of the strong men of the educational force of the State.

Superintendent Eggleston has spent much time of late at the sick bed of his father, but has kept in close touch with the work of his office in Richmond.

Tobacco comes in slowly, for the reason that the number of farmers who are pooling this crop increases.

High prices are a terror to a housekeeper and the wonder is that they can feed as well as they do. The man who complains nowadays of not having two kinds of meat for dinner is unreasonable and so far as I know they are not complaining.

Our planing mills are busy and their "scrap" are much sought after as kindling.

I have heard nothing of the effects of the two cent rate on our local passenger receipts, but presume that the test cannot be fairly applied until the exposition closes.

We may have turkey on Thanksgiving but not much of it before or after.

Our merchants are making ready to supply our farmers with baled hay, when winter sets in. This ought not to be. If every farmer in Southside Virginia would imitate the example of that prince of farmers, F. D. Sandy, they would have hay to sell and none to buy. Did we not feed ourselves and stock before the steel rails bound us to the great West? Better that the tie should not have been formed than that we should be dependent by it.

Our grass is not as green as it was and our leaves have all fallen, we have warm hearth stones and there is cheer within doors.

Our girls who are teaching away from their homes are writing of the hoped for returning and of all things happy people in town they will be the happiest.

The Hampden-Sidey boys are playing good foot ball and are the heroes of the hour. What they have lost as students I don't pretend to know. They may be strong enough to catch up with comrades who remain at work.

The absentees from the polls on election day and their numerous legions haven't as yet been accounted. If they simply "ran away to live to fight another day" in the engagement of 1908, we will forgive them though the habit is a bad one.

Capt. H. H. Hunt won new honors at the last meeting of the white ribbonners and being recognized as one of the leading photographers of the day. He loves his profession, studies its every detail and is determined to be master of it.

Our babies are growing finely as it is about time we were having a baby show, but woe to the mom who consent to serve as judges. I would rather face the fury of a wild "nor east" storm than the fury of a mother whose baby lost in a corn contest. I tried it once in the city of Richmond and know whereof I speak. There in attendance encored our award save and except the losing mothers and they agreed that we were but men and didn't know nothing about babies, and the truth is we didn't except that our prize-winner was the most shapely and best looking of the contestant But we didn't look at them through all those waiting, expectant, hoping mothers' eyes. "Beware of widders," said Weller, Sr. to son "Sam," and I would warn all my brothers to beware of acting as judges of baby shows.

Death brings with it whenever it comes a shock and a sorrow, but the monster is robed in more of terror when it claims as a victim school girl and snatches her suddenly from the comradeship of hundreds of bright and bouyant companions. This shock was felt in Normal circles recently when Miss Thirtle, of Middlesex, died suddenly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Blanton, where she was boarding. The remains were taken to the old home for burial and we cannot appreciate the woe of the heart there that were no doubt beating high with hope for a glad Christmas reunion. "God moves in a mysterious way, his wonders to perform."

We all read with peculiar interest the results of experimental farming in Appomattox and rejoice. These experiments have given place to rich experience, and we are glad to know, too, that what was done in our sister county can be done in Prince Edward, and if the scarcity of labor prevents it from being done on a large scale so much the stronger reason for doing it on a small scale.

Some of our "possum" hunters have been rejoicing in the catching of some monsters. A small one will go a long ways with most people. There has been no pinchora of birds in our market though they sell high. Everything to eat sells high.

A goodly number of our married men are "on the road" and their home comings are bright spots in life. Whoever heard o. a "knight of the grip" before the war? We often wonder what the lines of transportation and hotels did without their patronage. Go where you will nowadays and they constitute a majority of the moving multitude. There would be distressingly blank spaces on the hotel registers if their signatures did not appear on them. Take them as a whole and no more attractive men are to be found in any walk of life for a fool to undertake the business. A successful salesman is a valuable asset in the business world. Such men are in demand and rarely out on a job.

Our congressman, Mr. Lassiter is making himself useful to his constituents. I hear good reports of him from every section of the district.

The ladies of our different churches are active workers. The Presbyterians gave a pleasant and profitable sale entertainment on last Friday evening. True the men after all "pay the price" but behind it is the united and consecrated work of the sisters. In church work the ladies lead and the men follow, and together accomplish the best results known to earth.

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Many Interesting Reports Made of Her People.

Buckingham.

Despite the threatning weather, the attendance on the meeting of those who have in charge the county public schools was very good. Every district in the county was represented. Division Superintendent Twyman and Inspector, Professors Blankership, Kenny and Sale, or rather Professor Kenny, delivered an interesting address as also did Mr. Thomas. One of these gentlemen in addressing the assembled teachers made this point, "That no teacher could teach pupils to be what they themselves were not." How true! Can a teacher who is an habitual drinker teach sobereness? Can a man or woman who dances or plays cards impress upon those under their charge that under certain circumstances these practices are a sin? Can any leader of right thought and action, whether he be preacher, statesman or a teacher lead others to be better than what they are not? Professors Blankership and Kenny were chosen as delegates to Roanoke, where the State Educational Conference is being held this week. The Board of Supervisors also selected Mr. A. C. Wood as a delegate.

Mrs. H. C. Brock died at her home near Hamden-Sidney on the 15th. Mrs Brock was Miss Carter Irving before her marriage and she was the oldest daughter of the late R. K. Irving and a sister of Captain Joseph K. Irving, of Howardsville. Mrs. Brock was a lady of refinement and culture and in her younger days had one of the sweetest voices it ever was my lever listened to and was a one time a pupil of the celebrated Nicholas Crouch, the author of the noted song, Kathleen Marvourneen.

One of my republican friends holds that no negro was ever a Supervisor in Buckingham, but the fact remains that Frank Moss was a Supervisor from James River and Caesar Perkins was a Supervisor in Mayaville district.

A lot of corn has changed hands in the last few weeks—$3 is the price at the pile and $3.25 for it delivered.

Money matters are getting some what close but the $100,000,000 that Cortelyou is about to turn loose from the U. S. Treasury should relieve the situation. The cashier of the Buckingham Bank says he has ample cash on hand so far, but he will not cash checks on other banks.

Treasurer James L. Anderson was here that week taking in the tax money of those who are beforehand enough to pay before the 1st of December when the five per cent penalty will be added. Treasurer Anderson has been paying out a lot of money on warrants out of his own pocket as the school trustees have issued warrants on the State "cash fund" and the check for the apportionment for Buckingham county had not come up to a few days ago. This is spoken of as the State cash fund, being the first money that is available for the pay of teachers, and for last year it amounted to $393 for Mayesville district.

Buckingham Monument.

Dear Sir—The patriotic ladies who are in charge of the erection of the "Confederate monument" in Buckingham, will soon complete their noble work. Some of them have asked for suggestions as to the proper inscription to be placed upon it. I modestly offer the enclosed paper as a proper inscription and I venture to request it's publication because it will probably elicit other offers and suggestions, and from them all, a suitable inscription can be obtained. I am by no means certain that the enclosed inscription is suitable and the chief reason which induced me to write it arose from the fact that I felt sure that it would prompt other suggestions. It is needless to state that the inscription should be written with great care.

I cannot close my letter without returning the thanks of the Confederate soldiers of Buckingham to the ladies who have done such good, noble and unselfish work in making the "Confederate monument" a success.

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The principles for which Virginia and the Southern people contended in the great Confederate War of Liberty then and now "consitute the very bedrock of liberty throughout the world."

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Andersonville.

Hello! What's the matter with you fellows anyway? You old Confederate soldiers, you brothers, sons and cousins, and you fellows that kept out because you owned negroes, and you near-sighted, deaf and lame of foot? You are the ones I want to talk to this evening through the courtesy of brother Clement, and his is very courteous and considerate of us, his scribblers, by letting our wants and wishes be known through the TIMES.

Way away in Los Angeles there is a fellow, a very good fellow, who gets the news through this channel. And you must know he hears what we are up to, a little piece of paper about 3 x 6 will come back, when read it will say "pay Miss or Mrs. So and So so much. Mr Silvey will do the rest." I am like the fellow on the skirmish line during the war when the yankees came in sight he took to the busnes, when the fight was over his Captain wanted to know where he was during the engagement. He said he got scattered. When I commenced to write I got scattered.

I want to tell you all the ladies are needing about $150 more on the monument. They want to put a substantil iron fence around it. Some of you will say, "no use, better give it to the needy soldiers, or their wives." We found the monuments here when we first saw the light of day. Dr. DeHass says there is one near the river Nile that has material enough in it's basement to build a city as large as Baltimore. More they are object lessons. Why one of we fellows who volunteered when the first drum beat, had never seen a city larger than Mayaville and when we got to Richmond and was shown Washington on his charger wanted to know which side he was on, and was told the South, of course. Instead of Washington in that he was a good soldier, but did not attain to the notoriety or rank. Boys, let's have the monument without giving the ladies trouble. Send your check or cash to Miss Minnie Ellis, Mrs Dr. Nowlin, Miss Annie Jones, Miss Grace Elcan, Mrs. Lula Bullard or your sweetheart. They will acknowledge and turn it in. I expect when the monument is unveiled the list of names and amounts will all be published and Decker Sheppard's name will be the first with his $40. The Sheppard's were good soldiers. Thad and Van were in Company K. They were rated No. 1. They are all good folks; do to tie to.

Miss Annie Flood is home again. We are trying to get the Andersonville school for her. She is very much in demand. I am not talking about matrimony now, and if you comical folks want to know what the land cost and who got the money on which the Andersonville school house is built, will look to Deed Book 9, page 248 you will see the consideration was FIVE dollars. Please underscore the five Mr. Editor. Some people's eyes might read it fifty.

Rev. Mr. Prevince is sent back to another year, so brother stewards get a move on yourselves. Don't let Appomattox get so far ahead. Every year look at the average per member for each circuit and don't fail to get a copy of the minutes. Eggs will possibly pay for a copy, and you can get dollars worth of Methodist information.

Miss May Anderson is at home for Christmas.

Miss Lucy McCraw came Thursday from Florida.

Eddie is home too. If the foxes find it out they will take to the mountains.

We are all glad that Mrs. Mary McCraw seems on the road to health again. Thanks to a kind Providence and Dr. Mitchell's skill.

Have you got a good pile of wood and a fat pig for Christmas? Happy is he who has either with contentment.

When we heard of the sickness of Mrs. Bertie Gilliam we hoped it was not unto death, but the grim monster came and claimed her as his own. When we looked at her sweet face cold in death, with a sweet expression, it seemed to say, "Oh, death where is thy sting, oh grave where is thy victory." A large concourse of friends attended her burial. Rev. Mr. Barrel read the burial service. She was laid to rest at her husband's home, leaving four children, youngest two years old, four brothers, four sisters, husband, father and mother. She was a sweet, good woman, a splendid christian character.

Buckingham Dots.

Mr. Ben Eldridge, of Richmond has been in the county for a week taking his annual hunt.

The town of Buckingham was filled with pretty school 'marms on Tuesday of last week at the educational rally.

Manteo.

Mr. Allen H. Wilkins, of the Peoples' Bank of Lynchburg, is boarding at Mrs. S. Morriss', and is very much pleased with Buckingham. He has gained 16 pounds in two weeks. Miss Lelia Armstead, of Lynchburg, is also stopping there.

Misses Florence and Mary Morris have just returned from Jamestown.

Mrs. E. P. Robertson had several hunters from Richmond last week and returned home with a large string of game.

Mr. Charlie Ragland, of Lynchburg is visiting his mother this week.

Mr. Percy Omohundro, of Richmond, is visiting his people, at Omohundro.

Miss E. P. Morriss has accepted a traveling position as demonstrator.

Messrs. John L. Morris and Oscar Barnett, of Albemarle, were the guests of the Misses Morriss last week.

Mr. Taft said to the Filipinos "Learn to be a good loser." An imitation of what the future holds for them perhaps.

APPOMATTOX.

INTERESTING STORIES ABOUT HOME FOLKS

Our Correspondents relate the New of the County.

Bent Creek.

On November 4th Mr. Willie Gunter, of Buckingham buried one of his children, but the writer, not knowing, is unable to give details.

Mr. Daniel Jamerson will move this week to the home of Mr. J. H. Wood and work the farm another year. Mr. and Mrs. Wood have been in the community over thirty years, and by the death of their only boy, Andrew, September 16th, another home which has extended kind hospitality to so many, has been broken up, and they will go to live with their daughter, Mrs. W. N. Turner, of Lynchburg.

Our school is still vacant, but we hope the Board will send us another teacher soon.

There seems to be a money panic in view as the banks are issuing script for circulation. Mr. Editor do you think it will make times any harder? Or is it a prelude to Presidential election?

I hear Hugh Lucado has been killed by accident. If any correspondent knows it to be true, I would be very glad to have the matter explained. He was a son of Robt. Lucado, deceased, of Appomattox and grandson, of John H. Lucado, who died in this county not very long ago.

Christmas is approaching with rapid velocity and there will be so many vacant chairs in this locality, rendered so by the monster death, only sorrow will prevail as not many of us obey the Bible injunction—"Weep at the incoming and rejoice at the outgoing."

Much success to the TIMES and readers. I always enjoy the paper.

Spout Spring.

Dear Editor: It seems as if everybody has forgotten Spout Springs, so I'll try to write a few items.

Mr. Laurence Furbush, of this place left for Bluefield, W. Va., where he will engage in business.

Mr. J. W. Singleton spent several days in Lynchburg last week.

Miss Mary Pugh, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with her parents at Spout Springs.

Mr. Bob Worley spent the day with friends in Lynchburg a few days ago.

Mrs. R. F. Harris visited friends in Lynchburg last week.

Mr. Patteson, of Lynchburg, was in Appomattox last Sunday.

Thanksgiving is fast approaching and the turkeys are feeling a little badly I suppose.

Miss Mary Walton, who has been visiting relatives at Spout Springs, leaves today for Lynchburg, where she will spend several days accompanied by her cousins, Misses Macie and Eva Bates.

Miss Vara Howerton spent several days of last week at Mrs. R. H. Bates.'

Cheap Tickets to Jamestown Exposition.

The Southern Railway in addition to selling tickets at the very low coach excursion rates on Tuesdays and Fridays of each week, will, for the month of November, commencing Monday November 4th, also sell these tickets on Mondays at low excursion rate, in addition to the regular daily rates and other various kinds of tickets, to induce the people to visit the Jamestown exposition.

C. W. WESTBURY,
District Passenger Agent.

Public Sale of Land.

The tract of 100 acres of land belonging to Chas. C. Goin situated in Clover Hill district in Appomattox county will be sold by the Farmville Building & Trust Co., at public auction in front of the Courthouse, at Farmville on December 10th, 1907 to satisfy deed of trust in favor of said Company.

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